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Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Vaughan,

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to you and your newspaper, to radio station W.T.T.X. and to all the many businesses in the community that sponsored the publicity part of our recent Bloodmobile and to all of the many citizens in the Appomattox County and surrounding areas that laboured together with us to make our recent Bloodmobile the overwhelming success that it really was.

I would like to express my deep appreciation to all of the citizens that came and donated a pint of blood. I would like to remind everyone, though we went over our quota, they do not just pour out the blood when we go over. It is put in "The Blood Bank". This means that though we have gone over our quota this blood, that is badly needed, will be used to help someone who may need it as a matter of life and death.

Once again, let me thank all of the citizens of our community and to each and every one that had even the smallest part in making this Bloodmobile Meeting the success that it was.

Sincerely,
Rev. Earnie W. Lucas
Recruiting Chairman
Appomattox Bloodmobile

Father Darkleaf

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Them In) for Bro. William Albert Harvey, Appomattox tobacco grower for a tremendous yield of 2,809 pounds on an acre, top producer of the area.

Well, will set the note pad aside, after saying that Brightleaf and I thank you so very, very much for the cards, letters, gifts and expressions of friendship before, during and since her recent eye surgery. Prayers, too. The eye surgery appears to have been successful, maybe soon she will start proofreading what Old Cornsilks writes. Thanks for reading and seeya next week.

Evergreen

Rev. and Mrs. Edmond Terry and grandson, Jim Bob Gambrel spent several days last week visiting with relatives in Lafayette, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jennings of Christiansburg, Virginia were luncheon guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John Kent Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harvey spent last Friday in Roanoke.

Miss Traci Ann Paulette spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. E W. Paulette.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harvey, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and children, Traci and J. P. of Chester, Virginia spent the week-end with Mrs. E. L. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harvey and family.

Guests on Sunday afternoon of Mrs. E. L. Harvey were Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Phelps. and Mrs. Roberta Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Martin Sr. were guests on Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. E. W. Paulete Sr.

Mrs. E. L. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and children were guests on Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tanner.

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Modernistic Club News

Regular preaching service was held at First Baptist Church Sunday at the 11:00 o'clock service hour. The Rev. Mr. Davis was in his place, with a very wonderful message. An appreciative audience turned out for the morning worship. The church choirs were present, with lovely music for services, under the direction of Mrs. Harriet P. James. All who attended First Baptist Church Sunday, enjoyed themselves. The offering for the morning was liberal.

A very apreciative number turned out to Galilee Baptist at the 10 a.m. hour for church school. Some of the members were unable to attend classes, due to the fact, they were bitten by the "flu bug", I think most of the sick are on the road to recovery at this writing.

We invite you to attend regular services at Galilee Baptist Church Sunday, March 2, at the 11 a.m. service hour. Sunday will be a busy day at Galilee Baptist Church, our Usher Board will have their annual program at 3: p.m. You are invited to come out, and share with the ushers of the church. The Usher Board will be looking forward to seeing our sister churches in their places.

The community was saddened last week at the home going of the late sister Elsie Booker, who had been a neighbor in Appomattox for a number of years. Our hearts go out in sympathy to the Biglow and Walker families.

Funeral services were held at Mount Pleasant Baptist Church, Hixburg, Va. with her pastor, the Rev. F. D. Yates, officiating. West Funeral Home was in charge of funeral arrangements.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral service. Burial was held in the family plot in the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church cemetery.

Let us continue to pray for the sick and shutins, here and elsewhere.

Those on this week's sick list are: Mrs. Armeta Jordan, mother and her sister, who is visiting her this week. We hope for the Jordans and a speedy recovery.

Sis Mary Davis, is a patient in Lynchburg General Marshall Lodge Hospital, Lynchburg. Mrs. Davis is improving I am told, Sis Helen Stevens, Bro. John and Sis Watson and Bro. George Martin, Sr. have been recetily been bitten by that old "Flu Bug". We pray for those who are recently ill, and for those who have been on the list sometime.

We are looking forward to a speedy recovery for all of our sick at home and abroad.

In and out of town:

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Ferguson, of Baltimore, Md., were recent visitors in the home of their mother, Mrs. Maggie Tibbs, and other relatives in Appomattox. Mrs. Dee Ferguson is spenting some time here with her mother, Mrs. Tibbs. Also her daughter, Mr. Ferguson returned to his home last week end in Maryland.

Mesdames Edith Ferguson and Lillie Stevens visited with Mrs. Mary C. Hudson, who just recently returned home, from Lynchburg General Hospital. Mrs. Hudson is doing fair at this writing. Mesdames Ferguson and Stevens also visited Mrs. Ferguson's mother, Mrs. Cora L. Jones, of the Springfield neighborhood. Mrs. Jones is doing nicely at this time we are happy to say.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. T. W. Hamlet over the week end were her aunt and cousin from Philadelphia, Pa. Mrs. Hamlet and her guest were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Abbott of Evergreen.

En Route back home Sunday from their dinner date, they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stevens for a while.

Mrs. Jordan's daughter, from Richmond, Mrs. Stovell, is visiting with her sick family over the week end. We trust that all the sick may soon recover. We hope Mrs. Stovell will duck the "Flu Bug" this week end.

See you next week!!!

BIRTHDAYS

Carleen Farrar	Feb. 17
Walter Ranson	Mar.1
Vera Crump	Mar.3
DeWitt Evans	Mar.5
James Lewis	Mar.5
Christine Dickerson	Mar.6
Debbie Harris	Mar.8
Debbir Roach	Mar.10
Louise Rosser	Mar.12
Stella Price	Mar.11
Brenda Nash	Mar. 4
Clara Powell	Mar.20
Alice Taylor	Mar. 20
Leslie Scruggs	Mar.21
Richard Inge	Mar.21
Johnny Roach	Mar.22
Audrey Almond	Mar. 22
Diane Inge	Mar. 25
Ruth Eaton	Mar.26
Lizzie Robinson	Mar.25
Ned Almond	Mar.27

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Accepts Pastorate

Rev. James N. Williams has accepted a call to serve as pastor of the Liberty Chapel and Gladstone Baptist Churches, effective March 1, 1975. He comes to Appomattox from the Northgate Baptist Church of Orangeburg, S.C.

A native of Mullins, S.C., Rev. Williams is married to the former Helen Crider. They are the parents of two girls, Renee, age 13, and Cheryl, 9.

The Wiliams' family will be moving into the parsonage on Route 60 this week and he will deliver his first sermon at each church this Sunday, March 2, 1975.

There will be a welcoming

Rev.. James N. Williams

tea, hosted by both churches, for the Williams family this Sunday after at Liberty Chapel between the hours of 3 and 5. Members and friends of both churches are cordially invited to attend.

and even offered to come by for him the next Sunday. The following Sunday he brought him to the church and introduced him to the superintendent, and to the other people, and to the pastor, and he said to the pastor, "Take care of this newcomer, and if I may be of service in helping him to find a place in our church, I will be glad to render it."

Which of these three then, thinkest thou, proved neighbor unto him that moved into the community?

Henry E. Riley, Jr.
Pastor, Memorial United Methodist Church, Appomattox

The Pastor Speaks

A certain man moved into our community; he didn't fall among robbers, who stripped him and beat him. He just moved in. A certain neighbor passed that way; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side, saying to himself, "I'm already late now for my meeting at the church." And in like manner also another neighbor, when he passed the place, passed by on the other side saying, "I'll not visit him and have him think I am a fanatic on religion. I'll just wait until the subject comes up naturally, and then I'll ask him to maybe come to our church sometime, if his family is well and they are not going out of town." But another neighbor, as he journeyed, when he saw the new family, was moved with compassion - stopped to see him, and courteously welcomed him to the community, and appropriately brought up the matter of his church life;

BIRTHDAY LIST

Rachel Ranson	Mar.13
Steve Williams	Mar.30
Cassie Baldwin	Mar.26
Clara Garrett	Mar.31
Kirkie Hamlin	Mar.21
Mrs. Bettie Ranson	Mar.16
Linda Lee Martin	Mar.28
Thomas Jay Martin	Mar.28
Edward Burrell	Mar.27
David Ratliff	Mar.17
Timothy Guill	Mar.24
Ricky Guill	Mar.26
Eugene Ratliff	Mar.23

Clebe McClary, Nationally Known, To Speak In Appomattox

Clebe McClary, of the Clebe McClary Evangelistic Association, nationally known, will be the guest speaker at the Appomattox Baptist Association meeting on Wed., March 5, to be held at the Liberty Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

McClary holds the Silver Star, the Bronze Star, three Purple Hearts, Honorary degrees from schools and cities all over the nation. He has a tremendous testimony for the Lord.

Ralph Reynolds, serving as Chairman of the Evangelistic Committee, urges everyone to come out and hear his message.

Beckham

FEB. 24 - Mrs. Howlett Drinkard and Miss Eunice Martin recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Tyree of Waynesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stallings and Wendy spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stallings of Belvedere, N.C.

Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin honoring Mr. Martin on his birthday were Mrs. Fletcher Burge, Jr., Mr. Ricky Burge, Miss Dawn Paulette, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jamerson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tweedy, Michelle and Tracy, E. W. Martin, Crystal Carter, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin, Sr., Mrs. Geraldine Moore, Debbie and G... Miss Eunice Martin ing some time visiting in Roanoke.

Mrs. W. C. Story Story visited Mr. Robert Morris, Melan and Mrs. S. G. Martin night.

Mrs. Edgar Tuck Kathy Tuck visited Mrs. Marvin Moore Mrs. Alfred Moore a Moore visited in Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pa visited Mrs. E. C. Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. C. Moore Tom Schmutz visi Hermon Moore Mond

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Wilson presented the 1974 Distinguished Service ... Frank H. Sweet, Appomattox County Extension ... behalf of the Appomattox Pork Producers ... last Friday evening.

... was honored because of his work with 4-H'ers ... swine projects in Appomattox and other area ... Appomattox County won the regional award in 1973 ... His work in swine production with county farmers ... tivities with the Piedmont and Appomattox Pork ... Association was highlighted. Sweet has worked with ... Central Feeder Pig Association and their monthly ... es for the past five years; for this activity he was ... ith outstanding service. Sweet was also the recipient ... membership in Appomattox Pork Producers ...

Hix, accepts on behalf of Hix Brothers, the 1974 ... the high producing dairy herd in the Lynchburg ... Ray Cragle, Head of Dairy Science Department, ... the left, and on the right is Al Hillsman, Roanoke City ... is the donor of the annual awards.

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Rocks

...ebruary 17 - Surely ... be too far away as ... one night you heard ... next morning you ...ed breasted robins. ...wing winners in the ...king Contest at ... last week were: ...ell, Patty Roach, ...ris, Luann Crain and ...

... Ranson was one of ...ay for this.

... Mrs. Harry Eugene ...ain their new home. ...ome them to the ...

... Elder, Mrs. Ruby ... and Mrs. Louise ...tended a musical ... Crewe Thursday ...

...liday was at the ... night service at ...showed slides of his ... the Holy Land. ...joyed it so much.

... Mrs. Judson Morris ...ox were visiting ... and daughter-in-law, ... Mrs. Glen Morris on ...ght.

... and Mrs. W. R. ... Ann Marie of ... and Mr. and Mrs. ...ach and Darrell of ... were visiting their ... Mr. and Mrs. R. E. ...y night.

... Mrs. Samuel Martin ... son Bob to a ... Lynchburg Friday. ...recovery is wished ...

... Wagner called to ...mber of the sick last ...

... Quartet and a ...others went to the Rest Home at Keysville Sunday afternoon.

A number of the youth dropped in the Youth Center Sunday afternoon.

A number of the youth and adults from Rocks went to Liberty Sunday night to see the new Johnny Cash Film.

A speedy recovery is wished the sick ones around here.

Completes Two Week Cruise

AMS William C. Norcross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norcross of Route 4, Appomattox and a member of Air Anti-Submarine Squadron 72 stationed at Norfolk, recently completed a two week cruise at Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico.

Norcross participated in Operation Springboard in the Caribbean.

A 1966 graduate of Appomattox High School, Norcross joined the Naval Air Reserve, and has served duty stations in Memphis, Tennessee; Meridian, Mississippi; Oceana Air Station, Virginia Beach; and at Norfolk. He has been awarded the Good Conduct Medal, and the Meritorious Unit Commendation.

SPOUT SPRING EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS' CLUB

The Spout Spring Extension Homemakers Club will meet Thursday night, Feb. 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Katherine Carsons.

Bread making will be the subject and an interesting demonstration is planned.

All members are urged to attend.

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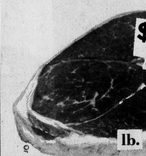

Sirloin Top Roast $1.69 lb.

¼ Sliced Pork Loin $1.09 lb.

Top Round Steak lb. $1.59

Center Cut **Pork Chops** lb. $1.39

Armour Pure Pork **Sausage** lb. 79¢

Chitterlings 10 Lb. Bucket $3.99

Armour **Canned Picnics** 3 Lb. $3.49

Armour **Franks** - 12 Oz. Pkg. 69¢

Armour Lunch Meat Bologna, Beef Bologna, Salami, Pickle Loaf, Liver Cheese 6 Oz. Pkg. 49¢

Gill's Coffee Coffee & Chicory lb. bag 99¢

Garden Fresh Produce:

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Anjou Pears 3 lbs. 99¢

Campbell's **Pork & Beans** 3 for 89¢

Saltine Crackers Nabisco - 1 Lb. Box 59¢

Lettuce 2 Heads 69¢

Crisco Shortening 3 Lb. Tin $1.99

Downy Fabric Softner 33 Oz. 85¢

Richfood - ½ Gal. **Chocolate Milk** 99¢

Green Cabbage lb. 14¢

Wigwam 16 Oz. Can **Sweet Peas** 3 for $1

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Castleberry - 3 Oz. Can **Potted Meat** 5 for

Chatham Dog Food 25 Lb. Bag $4.39

Red & Golden Delicious **Apples** 3 Lbs. 99¢

Jeno Pizzas Cheese, Sausage, Pepperoni, Hamburger - 13 Oz. Each 79¢

Viva Towels White & Assorted Colors Big Roll 2 for $1